

No. 6, St. Mary's Place,

West Brompton, London, S.W.

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Dear Collier

I hope & trust that your illness is not serious, & that you will soon be well again. Mr. Hunt was greatly disappointed you were not at the meeting on Friday, & Dr. Thomson was taken ill at Leamington just before starting. The business done was chiefly of a formal character, such as retaining the former

custodian secretary &c. at the
old salaries. The Museum &
library have really made wonderful
progress.

Would you kindly tell me
if there any real Elizabethan
houses at Maidenhead?

Yours very truly

J. O. Halliwell

J. Payne Collier &c.

Mr Hunt read your letter
at the meeting.